that they are a key component in the overall force structure.

While the recent focus has and will continue to be on Irag, it is important to remember that are U.S. armed forces are serving admirably all over the world, and more and more is continually asked of them. Members of the armed forces have been serving for the past seventeen months in the ongoing operations to root out terrorism, and their continued work in Afghanistan, South Korea and other hot spots are just part of their service. Whether providing vital counter-narcotics assistance, training the militaries of other nations in counterterrorism measures or serving the United States at home, our men and women have made sacrifices that go beyond the call of normal duty.

In conclusion, as we move forward in this war against terrorism, let us remember those who have served us in the past, those who have lost their lives while protecting our nation, and the sacrifices the families of military personnel have made. All members of the U.S. Armed Services, in my State of Delaware and around the world, must be recognized for their outstanding and courageous service in these uncertain times. With passage of this resolution today, we express the gratitude of our Nation.

Mr. ROYCE. Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of the resolution. Not too long ago, I returned from Afghanistan, and other Central Asian countries, where I met with our troops on the front lines of Operation Enduring Freedom.

Mr. Speaker, Americans can be very proud of the men and women serving our country in Central Asia. They are true professionals, doing their jobs in very difficult conditions. Troops we met with were in good spirits and morale is high. Yes, our soldiers want to come home-several told me how they miss their wife and kids-but above all they want to finish their mission.

In the coming weeks, U.S. forces may be asked to face combat in the Middle East. No one wants war. If military conflict does come. you can be sure that we have the very best serving our country. They are the latest in a long line of men and women who have served our country with distinction, and to whom we owe our freedom.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. OSE). Pursuant to the order of the House of Tuesday, March 4, 2003, the joint resolution is considered read for amendment, and the previous question is ordered

The question is on the engrossment and third reading of the joint resolu-

The joint resolution was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, and was read the third time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the passage of the joint resolution.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. HUNTER. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX and the Chair's prior announcement, further proceedings on this question will be postponed.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8, rule XX, proceedings will resume on questions previously postponed.

Votes will be taken in the following

H.R. 743, de novo:

H.R. 1047, by the yeas and nays;

House Joint Resolution 27, by the veas and navs.

The first electronic vote will be conducted as a 15-minute vote. Remaining electronic votes will be conducted as 5minute votes.

PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY

Mr. DOGGETT. Mr. Speaker, I wanted to be clear on H.R. 743. Does the Chair have us for a record vote? If not, I will ask for a record vote at this time

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will put the question de novo.

SOCIAL SECURITY PROTECTION ACT OF 2003

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 743, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Florida (Mr. SHAW) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 743, as amended.

The question was taken.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. In the opinion of the Chair, two-thirds of those present have voted in the affirm-

Mr. DOGGETT. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and navs were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 249, nays 180, not voting 5, as follows:

[Roll No. 44]

YEAS-249

Abercrombie Diaz-Balart, L Aderholt Burton (IN) Diaz-Balart, M. Akin Buver Doolittle Calvert Bachus Dreier Baker Camp Duncan Ballenger Cannon Dunn Barrett (SC) Cantor Ehlers Bartlett (MD) Capito Emerson Barton (TX) Capuano English Cardin Eshoo Carson (OK) Beauprez Everett Castle Feeney Bereuter Berry Bilirakis Chabot Ferguson Chocola Flake Bishop (NY) Coble Fletcher Bishop (UT) Foley ${\tt Cole}$ Collins Blackburn Forbes Blunt Cooper Fossella Boehlert Cox Franks (AZ) Frelinghuysen Boehner Crane Gallegly Garrett (NJ) Bonner Crenshaw Cubin Bono Cunningham Boozman Gerlach Boswell Davis (TN) Gibbons Bradley (NH) Brady (TX) Davis, Jo Ann Davis, Tom Gilchrest Gillmor Brown (SC) Deal (GA) Gingrey DeLay DeMint Brown-Waite Goode Goodlatte Ginny

Graves Green (WI) Greenwood Gutknecht Harris Hart Hastings (WA) Hayes Hayworth Hefley Herger Hobson Hoekstra Holden Hostettler Houghton Hulshof Hunter Isakson Issa Istook Janklow Jenkins Johnson (CT) Johnson (IL) Johnson, Sam Jones (NC) Jones (OH) Keller Kelly Kennedy (MN) Kind King (IA) King (NY) Kirk Kline Knollenberg Kolbe LaHood Latham LaTourette Leach Lewis (CA) Lewis (KY) Linder Lipinski LoBiondo Lowey Lucas (KY) Lucas (OK) Manzullo Matsui McCarthy (NY) McCollum McCotter McCrery McHugh McInnis McIntyre Meehan Mica Miller (FL) Miller (MI) Miller, Gary Miller, George Moore Moran (KS) Murphy Musgrave Mvrick Nethercutt Ney Northup Norwood Nunes Nussle Obey Osborne Otter Oxlev Pascrell Pearce Pence Peterson (PA) Petri Pickering Pitts Platts Pombo Pomeroy Porter Portman Pryce (OH) Putnam Quinn Radanovich Ramstad Regula Rehberg Renzi Reynolds Rogers (AL) Rogers (KY) Rogers (MI) Rohrabacher Ros-Lehtinen Rothman Young (FL)

Royce Ryan (WI) Ryun (KS) Sabo Saxton Schrock Sensenbrenner Sessions Shadegg Shaw Shays Sherwood Shimkus Shuster Simmons Simpson Smith (MI) Smith (NJ) Smith (TX) Smith (WA) Souder Stearns Sullivan Tancredo Tanner Tauzin Taylor (MS) Taylor (NC) Thomas Tiahrt Tiberi Tiernev Toomey Turner (OH) Udall (CO) Udall (NM) Upton Visclosky Vitter Walden (OR) Walsh Wamp Weiner Weldon (FL) Weldon (PA) Weller Whitfield Wicker Wilson (NM) Wilson (SC) Wolf Young (AK)

NAYS-180

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Jackson-Lee (TX) Jefferson John Johnson, E. B. Kanjorski Kaptur Kennedy (RI) Kildee Kilpatrick Kingston Kleczka Kucinich Lampson Langevin Lantos Larsen (WA) Larson (CT) Lee Levin Lewis (GA) Lofgren Lynch Majette Maloney Markey Marshall Matheson McCarthy (MO) McDermott McGovern McKeon McNulty Meek (FL) Meeks (NY) Menendez Michaud Millender-McDonald Miller (NC)

Mollohan

Jackson (IL)

DeFazio

Moran (VA)

Snyder

CONGRESSIONAL RECORD—HOUSE

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ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

Sweeney

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. OSE) (during the vote). The Chair wishes to remind Members that there are 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

□ 1355

ISRAEL, SHERMAN, Messrs. MOLLOHAN, SCHIFF. WAXMAN, HONDA. KINGSTON, VAN HOLLEN, COSTELLO, CARDOZA and Ms. MAJETTE, Ms. LOFGREN, Mrs. BIGGERT, Ms. BERKLEY, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Ms. GRANGER and Ms. MILLENDER-McONALD changed their vote from "yea" to "nay.

Messrs. **JOHNSON** Illinois. CARSON BERRY, FLETCHER, of Oklahoma and MEEHAN changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

So (two-thirds not having voted in favor thereof) the motion was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8, rule XX, the remainder of votes in this series will be conducted as 5 minutes votes.

MISCELLANEOUS TRADE AND TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS ACT OF 2003

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 1047.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Illinois CRANE) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 1047, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 415, nays 11, not voting 8, as follows:

[Roll No. 45] YEAS-415

Alexander Abercrombie Allen Bachus Ackerman Akin Andrews Baird

Dreier Baker Baldwin Duncan Ballance Dunn Ballenger Edwards Barrett (SC) Ehlers Bartlett (MD) Emanuel Barton (TX) Emerson Bass Engel Beauprez English Eshoo Etheridge Becerra Bell Bereuter Evans Berkley Everett Berman Farr Fattah Berry Biggert Feeney Bilirakis Ferguson Filner Bishop (GA) Bishop (NY) Flake Bishop (UT) Fletcher Blackburn Foley Blumenauer Forbes Boehlert Ford Fossella Boehner Frank (MA) Bonilla Bonner Frelinghuysen Bono Frost Boozman Gallegly Boswell Garrett (NJ) Boucher Gerlach Gibbons Boyd Bradley (NH) Gilchrest Brady (PA) Brady (TX) Gillmor Gingrey Brown (OH) Gonzalez Brown (SC) Goodlatte Brown, Corrine Gordon Brown-Waite, Goss Ginny Granger Burgess Graves Green (TX) Burns Burr Green (WI) Burton (IN) Greenwood Grijalva Buyer Calvert Gutierrez Camp Gutknecht Cannon Hall Harman Cantor Capito Harris Capps Hart Hastings (FL) Cardin Cardoza Hastings (WA) Carson (IN) Hayes Carson (OK) Hayworth Hefley Hensarling Carter Case Castle Herger Chahot Hill Hinchey Chocola Hinojosa Coble Hobson Hoeffel Cole Collins Hoekstra Combest Holden Convers Holt Cooper Honda Hooley (OR) Costello Cox Hostettler Cramer Houghton Crane Hover Crenshaw Hulshof Crowley Hunter Cubin Hvde Culberson Inslee Cummings Isakson Cunningham Israel Davis (AL) Issa Istook Davis (CA) Davis (FL) Jackson (IL) Davis (IL) Jackson-Lee Davis (TN) (TX) Janklow Davis, Jo Ann Davis, Tom Jefferson Deal (GA) Jenkins DeFazio John Johnson (CT) Johnson (IL) DeGette

Delahunt

DeLauro

Jones (OH)

Kanjorski

Kaptur Keller

Kelly

Kildee

Kind

Kilpatrick

DeLay

DeMint

Dicks

Dingell

Doggett

Doolittle

Doyle

Dooley (CA)

Deutsch

Diaz-Balart, L. Diaz-Balart, M.

Johnson, E. B. Johnson, Sam Kennedy (MN) Kennedy (RI) Petri Pickering Pitts Platts

King (IA) King (NY) Kingston Kirk Kleczka Kline Knollenberg Kolbe Kucinich LaHood Lampson Langevin Lantos Larsen (WA) Larson (CT) Latham LaTourette Leach Lee Levin Lewis (CA) Lewis (GA) Lewis (KY) Linder Lipinski LoBiondo Lofgren Lowey Lucas (KY) Lucas (OK) Majette Maloney Manzullo Markey Marshall Matheson Matsui McCarthy (MO) McCarthy (NY) McCollum McCotter McCrery McGovern McHugh McInnis McIntyre McKeon McNulty Meehan Meek (FL) Meeks (NY) Menendez Mica Michaud Millender-McDonald Miller (FL) Miller (MI) Miller (NC) Miller, Gary Miller, George Mollohan Moore Moran (KS) Moran (VA) Murphy Murtha Musgrave Myrick Nadler Napolitano Neal (MA) Nethercutt Ney Northup Norwood Nunes Nussle Olver Ortiz Osborne Ose Otter Owens Oxley Pallone Pascrell Pastor Paul Payne Pearce Pelosi Pence Peterson (MN) Peterson (PA)

Thornberry Schakowsky Pombo Pomeroy Schiff Tiahrt Porter Schrock Portman Scott (GA) Scott (VA) Price (NC) Pryce (OH) Sensenbrenner Putnam Serrano Quinn Sessions Radanovich Shadegg Rahall Shaw Shays Ramstad Rangel Sherman Regula Sherwood Rehberg Shimkus Renzi Shuster Simmons Reves Reynolds Simpson Rodriguez Skelton Rogers (AL) Slaughter Rogers (KY) Smith (MI) Rogers (MI) Rohrabacher Smith (N.I) Smith (TX) Ros-Lehtinen Smith (WA) Ross Solis Rothman Souder Roybal-Allard Spratt Rovce Stark Ruppersberger Stearns Rush Stenholm Ryan (OH) Strickland Sullivan Ryan (WI) Ryun (KS) Tancredo Sabo Tanner Tauscher Sanchez, Linda Tauzin Sanchez, Loretta Thomas Thompson (CA) Sandlin Saxton Thompson (MS)

Tiberi Tierney Toomey Towns Turner (OH) Turner (TX) Udall (CO) Udall (NM) Upton Van Hollen Velazguez Visclosky Vitter Walden (OR) Walsh Wamp Waters Watson Watt Waxman Weiner Weldon (FL) Weldon (PA) Weller Wexler Whitfield Wicker Wilson (NM) Wilson (SC) Wolf Woolsey Wu Wvnn Young (AK) Young (FL) Sanders

Aderholt Jones (NC) Capuano Clyburn McDermott Taylor (MS) Oberstar Taylor (NC) Goode Obey

NOT VOTING-8

Blunt Lynch Sweeney Franks (AZ) Snyder Gephardt Stupak

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. OSE) (during the vote). The Chair wishes to remind Members there are 2 minutes left in this vote.

□ 1403

Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi changed his vote from "yea" to "nay."

So (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

COMMENDING **MEMBERS** OF UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES AND THEIR FAMILIES FOR SELF-LESS SERVICE DURING GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question of the passage of the joint resolution, H.J. Res. 27, on which further proceedings were postponed earlier today.

The Clerk read the title of the joint resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the passage of the joint resolution on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were-yeas 426, nays 0, not voting 8, as follows: